

THE BRITISH COLONIST.
Tuesday Morning, July 7, 1868.

CHURCH MATTERS.—The following promotions and changes have been recently made in the Ministry of the Church of England in this Colony: The Rev. C. T. Woods, of St. John's, Victoria, appointed to the Archdeaconry of Columbia, to reside at New Westminster; Rev. W. S. Reese, Cowichan, to the Archdeaconry of Vancouver Island, to reside at Nanaimo; Rev. Mr. Jones, of the latter place, to the Rectory of St. John's, this city; the Rev. Mr. Wilmore and Mr. Guilloid will leave during the present week for Alberni, West Coast V. I., there to locate, for the purpose of engaging in the mission to the natives of that portion of the diocese. At the present time there are: In the northern part of the Colony, Rev. Mr. Tomlinson and Mr. Cunningham engaged in the same work; in the eastern, or the Fraser and Thompson river sections, two; and at Cowichan or southern portion, two. Probably arrangements may be made whereby a clergyman will be appointed to the Cariboo district this season.

ALARM OF FIRE.—Yesterday afternoon an alarm of fire was raised, and the Department was soon on the spot, but before any water was thrown the blaze was quenched by neighbors around on Johnson St. The premises of Mr. Raggazoni, the coffee merchant on fire were the cause of the alarm. A squad of men were sent ashore by Commander Larcom, of the gunboat Forward, to assist in the work of extinguishing the fire. The fire on the Esquimalt road, in yesterday morning's paper, that the same gentleman with much alacrity sent a force of his men with fire buckets to the place mentioned. Such occurrences, together with similar surprises, which may at any time happen, ought to be a reason sufficient to keep a gunboat constantly in our harbor.

LEACH RIVER.—Mr. Phillip Lamey called upon us yesterday morning to show a sample of the gold he has recently obtained at Leach River. It appears they are working at the upper end of the ground, where the original good pay gave out, and have been for some time tracing the lead into the side bank, some sixty feet from the creek. They consider they have struck the old lead, and that it will take them six months to wash their ground out. The gold obtained is of a remarkably fine quality, in pieces from two bits to \$250. On working the present ground, Lamey & Co. intend introducing more water for hydraulic next season on ground in which they appear to have great confidence. We hope in a few weeks to receive news from Leach River worth chronicling.

WALKING MATCH.—Young Miles, the champion pedestrian of California and Australia, and Goulding, the champion hurdle jumper of England, are contesting in New York a match of walking 1000 miles in 1000 hours, and are now on the eve of finishing their six weeks' walk. During the third week, in order to test their comparative speed a cup of \$50 was given for the quickest single mile. After a close contest it was won by Goulding, who walked his mile in eight minutes and ten seconds, which is wonderful time after having previously walked 516 miles. At that time both looked fresh and lively.

NAVAL ATHLETIC SPORTS.—Our citizens must not forget that to-day at half past one o'clock sharp, these sports will commence; they promise a rare day's amusement. If the weather should prove unfavorable, two minute guns will be fired from the Zealous to announce a postponement. But if it be an entrance to the grounds, and we are instructed to say that everybody from town wishing to go will be most welcome.

THE QUEEN AND THE BISHOPS.—It is officially stated by the Press that an Ecclesiastical deputation of the Protestant Church Establishment in Ireland had an interview with the Queen upon the disestablishment question, and to them Her Majesty was quite non-committal. It is scarcely likely she would act differently with the Premier, and belie the sound sense and good judgment of her life.

POLICE COURT.—Charles Montgomery was arrested on the charge of selling liquor to Indians. Fined \$100; in default of payment 4 months hard labor. The Hydabs had an especial gathering yesterday before Mr. Pemberton, some for assaulting officers, some for assaulting each other, and the lot were fined or discharged according to the merits or demerits of their cases.

THE AMERICAN PRESS is filled to repletion with reviews upon the impeachment. The New York Herald says that if Congress will bury the hatchet now, the President will wash off his paint and pass round the pipe of peace. It would be a very good idea. Congress, by the acquittal of Mr. Johnson, has a good opportunity to bury the hatchet if they will only do so.

IS THAT SO?—A Western widow, handsome and learned, manages a farm, and she raised last year 1000 bushels of wheat, 1200 bushels of corn, has a large stock of hogs, sends fat cattle to the New York market, has abundance of flowers, apples, pears, currants, strawberries, and keeps up with the current literature—but she does not want to marry.

THE PICNIC.—It appears from the number of tickets returned we altogether underrated the number who joined the Caledonians on Saturday. Three hundred and forty-seven tickets have been received back, so there must have been, young and old together, over 500 people on the grounds.

THE STEAMER GEORGE S. WRIGHT left last night for Sitka about 8 o'clock. She took some 35 tons of merchandise from this town in addition to her Portland cargo for Sitka, and is expected to return in about fourteen days.

LUMBER FOR THE SANDWICH ISLANDS.—The Mauna Loa anchored off the mouth of the harbor yesterday morning on a voyage to the Sandwich Islands with a cargo of lumber from Burrard Inlet.

STRANGE FACT.—A hen never lays more than 600 eggs whatever may be the breed. Some lay the whole in three years, others want more time.

WE ARE REQUESTED BY MR. MALLANDINE to state that after the 15th inst. the price of the Victoria Directory will be \$2 50.

HER MAJESTY'S GUNBOAT FORWARD, we understand, leaves shortly for the Northern coast.

PICKN, of Government street, will be out to-day at the Sailors' athletic sports with his usual good things.

CANADIAN ITEMS.

PARLIAMENTARY ON DITS.—The impression prevails that Parliament will not be prorogued until July, owing to the enormous mass of business on the order paper. It is also stated that no steps will be taken for some time to fill up the present vacancies in the Cabinet. Several Maritime Province Senators are about to return home, and will do so as soon as the Fishery Bill is laid before Parliament. One of them states that its appearance is awaited in Nova Scotia with great anxiety and that the fishery trade of that Province has amounted to four million dollars annually.

Hunter, Rose & Co. have been appointed Queen's Printers to the Ontario Government, and will remove a portion of their establishment to Toronto.

The cash value of farms, Quebec Province not including implements, was about \$17,300,000 or about £34,600,000 sterling.

A Coroner's jury have returned a verdict declaring Dr. Rowe guilty of murder, having caused the death by abortion, committed by mechanical means, of Jane Ann Huff, living in Frankfurt. The Doctor has fled, but the girl's mother has been arrested as participes criminis, and is now in custody.

DELIVER GOLD MINING COMPASS.—We are pleased to learn that the gold extracted from the River Gilbert since the month of January is as follows:—In January, 64 ozs. 1 dwt. 4 grs.; February, 181 ozs. 16 dwts. 8 grs.; and in March, 57 ozs. 3 dwts. 11 grs.—Total 303 ozs. and 23 grains.

A man living in Cohoes last week applied oil from the bowl of a tobacco-pipe to a burn on the lip of his little daughter, and the child died in convulsions twenty-four hours after.

The quantity of rain fallen (6,747 in.) during the first seventeen days of the present month, at Toronto, exceeds twice the average quantity due for the whole of May, and is also greater than the heaviest rain fall recorded—namely, 6,367 inches.

The staircase at Niagara Falls descending to the path leading under Table Rock, owned by the Messrs. Barnett, tumbled down on Saturday May 3rd. A number of persons had passed up and down the day previously.

The Dominion Government has sent a most patriotic address to the Queen, on the attempted assassination of the Duke of Edinburgh.

A national subscription is being made for the widow and family of the late D'Arcy McGee.

The candidates for President and Vice President are very nearly of the same age, and may be regarded as in the prime of intellectual and physical manhood. Grant was forty-six on the 27th of April last, and Colfax forty-five on the 23d of March last.

The receipts of the eleven theatrical establishments in New York for the month of March last, were over \$190,000.

A GIANTESS 6 feet 2½ inches and weighing 828 pounds is on exhibition at Cheyenne city. She is only 23 years old.

It is estimated that the machinery of Great Britain does the work of four hundred million men.

SAN FRANCISCO pays one-sixteenth of the whole whisky tax of the United States.

More than one-fourth of the railroads in the world are in the United States.

RELIABLE FRENCH MEDICINES.—CERTAIN CURES FOR DISEASES OF THE STOMACH, LUNGS AND OTHER ORGANS.—REMEDIES THAT DOCTORS SHOULD PRESCRIBE.—The great French chemist, Grimaud and Company are preparing certain medicines that must become popular with members of the medical profession, wherever they are known. They have just been introduced by Messrs. Langley & Co., and should be tested by our physicians. They are not quick nostrums of which the composition is unknown. On the contrary, the constituents of every article are stated in its name, and perfect purity and uniform strength are the chief commendations of these standard preparations.

They have been subjected to the most rigid examination of the French Academy of Medicine, and are now used in all public hospitals in France, and by the medical profession generally. They are simple, but compound substances, based on the most recent medical discoveries. Among them, are Dr. Leras' Liquid Phosphate of iron, which is highly esteemed in cases of difficult digestion, general debility, and many other complaints occurring in warm and relaxing climates.

Grimaud's Syrup of Iodized Horsradish has been used with great success in French hospitals, in scrofula, diseases of the chest and all affections for which cod liver oil has been heretofore taken.

Grimaud's Syrup of Hypophosphite of Lime is considered the greatest remedy yet discovered for diseases of the lungs.

Dr. Burin de Buisson's Digestive Longoson is almost the only remedy now given by French physicians for gastritis, jaundice and disease of the liver.

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The above, with other preparations by Grimaud & Co., can be found at Langley & Co., Victoria, B.C.

By Electric Telegraph.
SPECIAL TO THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST
LAST NIGHT'S DESPATCHES.

California.
SAN FRANCISCO, July 2.—Sailed July 1st bark General Cobb, Port Townsend.
Cleared July 2, brig Orient, Victoria.
Sailed, bark Adelaide Cooper, Port Ludlow; ship Shooting Star, Nanaimo.

Eastern States.
WASHINGTON, July 2.—Banks gave notice that on Tuesday next he would move to go into committee of the whole on the Alaska bill. This postpones the bill till that day.
Florida was restored to the Union on July 1st and the military government withdrawn.

Europe.
PARIS, July 1.—In the Corps Legislatif the debate on the Budget was continued. M. Thiers expressed the fear of an outbreak of war in consequence of the national bankruptcy on account of the military preparations no going on.
LONDON July 1.—A grand banquet was given to Cyrus W. Field this evening as an acknowledgment of his eminent services in building the Atlantic telegraph. The Duke of Argyle was the chairman and 300 distinguished gentlemen were present.
BRUXEL, July 2.—The North German Steamship Company is about to build two more steamers for the Bremen and Baltimore line.

DELAYED DISPATCHES.
Eastern States.
WASHINGTON, June 29.—A joint resolution directing the withholding of money due from the United States to any State, in default of payment of principal or interest on its stocks or bonds held by the United States in trust, was considered and passed.
The Civil Appropriation Bill was taken up, and passed by a vote of 100 yeas to 90 nays.

San Francisco, June 28.—A bill for a branch mint building at Carson City, Nevada. Without acting on the bill, the Senate held an executive session, and then took a recess till evening.
In the House, Cobb offered a resolution instructing the Ways and Means Committee to report a bill levying a tax of at least ten per cent, on the interest on bonds, to be assessed and collected annually by the Secretary of the Treasury, and such subordinates as may be charged with the duty of paying the interest on bonded indebtedness of the United States. The motion to tax was rejected, and the motion to refer was also rejected.
The resolution passed by 92 to 52.
Stevens reported on the Deficiency Bill, which was made the special order for Thursday.
The consideration of the River and Harbor Bill was resumed, and the entire bill was considered by sections.
Elliott moved the previous question. Washburne called for separate votes on the several appropriations. The same having been agreed to, leave of absence was granted to several Democratic members, without any action being taken on the bill, and the House adjourned.
NEW YORK, June 28.—Washington specials to the Express say it is the belief that the Senate can get through the tax bill within a week.
The Senate Finance Committee has reported against the confirmation of Perry Fuller as Commissioner of Internal Revenue.
The Senate Judiciary Committee will report favorably upon Edmond's bill providing that States not represented in Congress shall not be allowed to participate in the apportionment of Representatives.

The Herald's special says Ward H. Larnon has been summoned before the impeachment managers. It is understood that Butler hopes to get the names of more persons supposed to have been instrumental in assisting to acquit the President.

The Senate Finance Committee has decided against the bill to make Chicago, Cincinnati and St. Louis free ports for the reason that they think the bill does not sufficiently provide against frauds.

WASHINGTON, June 20.—Mr. Howard, from the Military Committee, reported in favor of discontinuing the Freedmen's Bureau.

The Committee on Ways and Means agreed to vote on Morrill's Tariff bill this week.

General Grant leaves for the West tomorrow.

California.
SAN FRANCISCO, June 30.—About 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon a laborer named Martin Gleason, who was excavating the bank on Pacific street, was instantly killed by the falling of about two tons of dirt and stone upon him.
An infant aged 11 days, child of William Hartmeyer, died yesterday, and its remains were taken to the Coroners by the parents who alleged that the infant was allowed to die of starvation by the woman who had taken it to nurse.
A very large and enthusiastic meeting of the German Republican Club was held last evening at Congress Hall. Several stirring and patriotic speeches were made by the members and others, and patriotic songs were sung by a glee club. Over one hundred German citizens signed the roll of the club. The Union Republican County Committee had secured rooms on Washington street, adjoining the Opera House, for naturalization purposes during the Presidential campaign.
The fact has been published that General James H. Carlton has been promoted to the rank of Brigadier General and Major General by Brevet. The honor just conferred upon him was extinguished over a year ago by the Government, but recalled on charges being made accusing him of fraud, corruption and wilfully squandering public monies, all of which accusations have been refuted to the satisfaction of Gen Grant.

Mining stocks continue moderately active and prices generally sustained.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 28.—Silt has been instituted in the Fifteenth District Court by Joseph and Clara Lee against Lizzie Oliver, to recover \$20,000 damages for alleged false imprisonment of Clara Lee in the house of the defendant.
The Auzar's Water Company filed their

certificate of incorporation. The object of the company is to turn the waters of the San Gabriele river from the present channel and distribute them through dunes and ditches for irrigation and other purposes. Capital stock \$100,000, divided into 2,000 shares.
A difficulty occurred yesterday afternoon with squatters, on the corner of Rhode Island and Centre streets, at Potrero, which promised to be a riot. Chief Crowley to-day detailed five officers to keep the peace in that locality. R. C. Page and H. F. Williams are the claimants on one side, Mr. Rhoda and J. S. Williams on the other.
A custom house officer detected a Chinaman last night in the act of smuggling a large bag of opium from China ship.
Eliza Georgiana Howlett was arrested on a charge of arson in connection with the fire at Eureka Hall. An examination was waived and the bail fixed at \$4,000.
Thomas Raymond, a soldier, was arrested at Alcatraz Island on the charge of robbery and attempted murder in Solano county.
The Napa Wood Company increased its capital stock from \$100,000 to \$500,000.
The Pacific Union Express Company has made arrangements for sending packages and letters to the Atlantic side by the North American Company's steamers, and on and after July 1st a daily express will be forwarded to the interior of this State via the California Steam Navigation Company's boats, and by the San Jose and Central Pacific Railroads.

Sandwich Islands.
The steamer Idaho, which left Honolulu June 16th, arrived here to-day at noon. His Majesty the King has been spending the last few weeks at his seaside cottage at Waikiki. His health is improving, though he has not appeared in public of late.
The Legislature is nearly through with its business and will adjourn between the 26th and 25th of June.
Very little local news has transpired since the departure of the last steamer.
The volcano which proved to be a nine days' wonder has entirely subsided, and now furnishes nothing for travellers to witness but the ruin and desolation it has left. Its cessation is in strong contrast with the prolonged eruption of former years.
Pearls have been obtained that the schooners Nettie and Isabella, engaged in the Kani trade, have blown off to sea. The Kinau and Rob Roy were fired up and sailed a day or two since in search of them.
Heavy rains fell in various districts of the island during the first week in June, and produced much damage.

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT AND PILLS.—Unsolicted Testimony.—Mr. Rippon, Hairdresser of Exeter, in a letter dated July 1st, 1862, writes: "My wife had been a great sufferer for several years from indigestion. After trying many different applications for months together to no purpose, a lady strongly recommended your medicine, and I do assure you we feel most thankful to her and yourself for the perfect cure they have effected. My wife is now able to take a walk of four or five miles with comfort. You may publish this letter, and I only hope it may be the means of inducing other sufferers to use your admirable remedies, which have proved a blessing indeed to us." Such testimonials are indisputable.

If you wish the very best CABINET PHOTOGRAPHS, you must call on BRADLEY & RULOFSON, 429 Montgomery street, San Francisco.

FRED PAYNE has removed his Cheap Shaving Shop to the opposite side of Johns n street, just above the Miner's Saloon.

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By order of the Mortgagee
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At 12 O'CLOCK, NOON.
AT SALESROOM
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The following Property
LOT 186, Victoria City, and the East Part of Lot 187, being 10 feet on Yates by the depth of the lot X, and the buildings and improvements thereon.
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Conditions of Sale on the day of Purchase:
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On the next day after the Arrival of the Steamer California
About 200 Tons of Ice,
More or less
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Life Department.
In accordance with the resolution passed at the last Annual Meeting of the Shareholders, the Agents are authorized to give
SPECIAL NOTICE
The present participating Policy-holders, and all holders of participating Policies issued after 1st January 1868, will become entitled to an increased share of the Profits.
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